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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jung et al.

Serial No: 10/748,903

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Docket: 8836-221 (IE13077-US)

For: **CLEANING SOLUTION USED IN PROCESS OF FABRICATING  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

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PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 REQUESTING ORIGINAL FILING DATE

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Nonprovisional Application dated April 30, 2004, a copy of which is attached hereto, this is a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 requesting that a filing date be accorded to the above-identified nonprovisional application as of the date, December 30, 2003, in which the application was originally filed. Applicants respectfully submit that the above-identified application be accorded the filing date of December 30, 2003, because

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drawings are not necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented, and therefore, are not necessary for according a filing date. Indeed, the claims are directed to a cleaning solution comprising a surfactant whose structures are depicted throughout the specification.

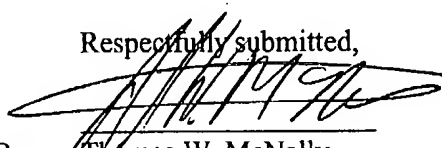
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In addition, please charge any deficiencies in these fees or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-0679.

Further, Applicants request a refund of the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) because the above-identified application is entitled to the filing date of December 30, 2003, which is the date in which the application was originally deposited in the U.S. Mail under the Certificate of Express Mail #EV 413369798 US.

Early and favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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